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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of

Stephen L. Palmer  
William R. Palmer

Serial No. 09/974,633

Filed: October 9, 2001

For: FOOD DECORATING APPARATUS  
AND METHOD

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) GROUP ART UNIT: 1761  
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) EXAMINER: S. Weinstein  
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) DATED: September 28, 2004  
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) EXTENSION OF TIME  
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Asst. Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

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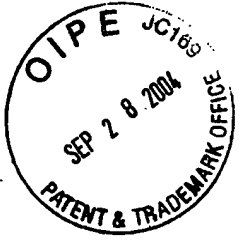
A three-month extension of time is requested to respond to the Final Office Action of March 30, 2004. All fees associated with this application, including the fee for the extension of time, are being paid by a Credit Card Payment Form (\$1,720.00).

Respectfully submitted,

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